



Atty. Dkt. No. 016907-1228

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Kazuhiro OGURA et al.

Title: ADVERTISEMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING ADVERTISEMENT OF MERCHANDISE TO PLURAL USERS (as amended)

Appl. No.: 09/845,258

Appl. Filing Date: May 1, 2001

Examiner: Namrata Boveja

Art Unit: 3622

Confirmation No.: 2847

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on _____.

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Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on _____ but not considered.

Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on _____.

Other _____.

b. Enclosed are:

Amendment/Reply.

Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).

Information Disclosure Statement.

Form PTO-1449 with copies of _____ listed reference(s).

Other _____.

Miscellaneous:

Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED	PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	FEE TOTALS
RCE Fee 1.17(e):				\$790.00	= \$790.00
Total Claims:	7	- 28	= 0	x \$50.00	= \$0.00
Independents	2	- 6	= 0	x \$200.00	= \$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:			+ \$360.00		= \$0.00
			CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:	=	\$790.00

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	0	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$450.00		\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00		\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,590.00		\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,160.00		\$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:			\$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID:	–		\$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL			\$0.00
	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$790.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):			\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)			\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:			\$790.00

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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